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1. [] called to state that Mr. Kirkpatrick, Chief of the External Research Unit of State, was being hard pressed regarding certain external research contracts by the investigators of the Federal Manpower Policy Subcommittee of the Senate Post Office and Civil Service Committee, and that their queries might

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[] I advised [] to have Kirkpatrick stand off the investigators on CIA matters as best he could, but that if it were necessary to refer them to me or consult with me on specific questions. STATINTL

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2. Miss Adams, Administrative Assistant to Senator McCarran, called to state that Senator McCarran was considering making a speech on the Floor attacking the Department of Justice's laxity in not pushing the [] case. I asked whether the Senator planned to refer to CIA covert personnel, and she said that she did not believe he would, and I urged her to make certain that no slip in this connection should occur. Miss Adams subsequently called me to state that the Senator had also informed the Justice Department of his impending speech, and that they had asked him to postpone it for two or three days. He, therefore, has determined to accede to this request.